

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Enhance the Role of Demand Response in Meeting the State's Resource Planning Needs and Operational Requirements.

Rulemaking 13-09-011 (Filed September 19, 2013)

## E-MAIL RULING GRANTING MOTION OF ADVANCED MICROGRID SOLUTIONS

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As further described below, this Email Ruling grants the motion filed by Advanced Microgrid Solutions (AMS) for party status in Rulemaking (R.) 13-09-011.

AMS filed a motion for party status on May 17, 2016 introducing itself as a pioneer in the use of energy systems for electric grid support. AMS explains that it deploys demand response energy storage systems coupled with software that,

when aggregated, can provide demand response. AMS states that it is interested in this proceeding because the service it provides can be bid into the wholesale energy market. Based on its experience as a bidder in the market, AMS contends that particular services should be prioritized as supply-side resources.

Commission Rule 1.4(b) states that a person seeking party status by motion shall fully disclose the persons or entities in whose behalf the filing is made, the interest of such entities and the factual and legal contentions that the entity intends to make. AMS has complied with Rule 1.4(b). Hence it is reasonable to grant its request for party status in R.13-09-011.

**IT IS RULED** that the motion of Advanced Microgrid Solutions requesting party status in Rulemaking 13-09-011 is granted.

The Docket Office shall formally file this Email Ruling.

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